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Local Engineer to Serve on Polar Programs Committee

HANOVER, N.H.—Dr. Mary R. Albert of the U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory (CRREL) has been appointed to a three-year term on the National Science Foundation's Office of Polar Programs Advisory Committee.

Dr. Albert will be one of 13 scientists representing a spectrum of scientific disciplines and agencies who will advise the National Science Foundation on issues facing the Office of Polar Programs. Albert, a research mechanical engineer, will represent the glaciological scientific community. The Polar Programs Advisory Committee meets twice yearly at the National Science Foundation in Arlington, Virginia.

The Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory also recently awarded Dr. Albert the Department of the Army Commander's Award for Civilian Service for her efforts in CRREL's Education Outreach Programs and specifically for her involvement with local high school students through the Department of Defense High School Apprenticeship Program. She also chairs this educational outreach program.

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